

BY BRADLEY, BY REQUEST.]

[HOUSE FILE No. 471—JUDICIARY.]

## A BILL

FOR AN ACT TO PROVIDE AGAINST VICIOUS PERSONS OBTAINING GOODS  
UNDER FALSE REPRESENTATIONS.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa :*

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any person with intent to deceive his creditor, to purchase any wares, goods or merchandise from any other person, or firm, servant, clerk or agent of either, upon false statements or representations of such purchaser made to the person from whom such articles have been obtained and under the declaration that moneys or credits were due, owing or coming due to said purchaser from good and reliable persons, firm or corporation with which he intends to pay for the same. Any person or persons obtaining goods or other valuable articles in the foregoing manner shall be deemed guilty of a public offense and of violating the provisions of this act, and shall be punished to the same extent and in the same manner as if such articles had been obtained under any other false pretenses.